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## Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

## **Listing of Claims:**

1-53. (Canceled)

54. (Currently Amended) A method for delivering a bifurcated endoluminal stent or prosthesis having a proximal portion and a first distal portion into vasculature at an angeological bifurcation where <u>a</u> blood vessel branches into a first branched vessel and a second branched vessel, said method comprising:

inserting a first introducer containing said stent or prosthesis into the vasculature to a predetermined delivery location, said first introducer comprising an outer sheath, a proximal portion pusher, and a distal portion pusher;

withdrawing said outer sheath of said first introducer while maintaining said proximal portion pusher in a fixed position until said proximal portion of said stent or prosthesis is deployed from said first introducer into said blood vessel;

withdrawing said outer sheath and said proximal portion pusher while maintaining said distal portion pusher in a fixed position until said first distal portion of said stent or prosthesis is deployed from said first introducer at least partially into said first branched vessel; and

withdrawing said first introducer from the vasculature.

55-58. (Canceled)

59. (Currently Amended) A bifurcated prosthesis for use near an angeological bifurcation of a blood vessel into two branched vessels comprising:

a bifurcated stent having a bifurcated proximal stent portion adapted to be disposed within said blood vessel, a first distal stent portion adapted to extend